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Artikel von Michael Wagner: "Szenarien der Internet-Telefonie", NTZ, Heft 5, 1998, Seiten 48-49.

Applicants look forward to early and favorable consideration of this matter.

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STATEMENT OF RELEVANCE

Sir:

Siemens I-GATE 11M Reference Handbook discloses a technical manual for a wireless network in accordance with the IEEE 802.11-Standard.

Scenarios for Internet Telephony, Michael Wagner discloses scenarios for telephony networks utilizing Internet/Intranet operation sites between personal computers and telephones.

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